

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hans Leonhard OHREM et al.

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APPARATUS AND PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF SALT MELTS,

AND THE USE THEREOF

## REPLY

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2004, kindly amend the aboveidentified application as follows.

Amendments to the **Specification** begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments and additions to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.